

United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey

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Judith H. Wizmur
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Rutgers 1971 BA; Rutgers (Camden) 1974 JD
Began Service: September 5, 1985
Term Expires: September 4, 2013

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Michael Patrick King, New Jersey Superior Court (1974)

Government: City Prosecutor, Office of the City Prosecutor, Township of Berlin, New Jersey (1976-1978); Assistant Director, Division of Motor Vehicles, State of New Jersey (1978-1981)

Judicial: Administrative Law Judge, State of New Jersey (1982-1985); Judge, Workers Compensation

Legal Practice: Lewis Katz, PA (1976-1978)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Burlington County Bar Association; Camden County Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; New Jersey State Bar Association

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Rosemary Gambardella
Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: May 3, 1985
Term Expires: May 3, 2013

Judicial: Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey (1998-2005)

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Novalyn L. Winfield
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: St Elizabeth BA; New York Law JD
Began Service: April 5, 1991
Term Expires: April 5, 2019

Staff

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Term Expires: August 2009
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Kathryn C. Ferguson
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1958
Education: Rutgers 1980 BA;
Rutgers (Camden) 1983 JD
Began Service: November 10, 1993
Term Expires: November 10, 2021

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Judith H. Wizmur, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey (1985-1986)

Government: Attorney, Office of Administrative Law, State of New Jersey (1983-1985)

Legal Practice: Partner, Markowitz & Zindler (1986-1993)

Current Memberships: Mercer County Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; New Jersey State Bar Association

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Gloria M. Burns
Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: 1993
Term Expires: 2014

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Raymond T. Lyons
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Seton Hall 1973 JD; NYU 1981 LLM
Began Service: April 13, 1999
Term Expires: April 12, 2013

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Seton Hall University (1985-1996)

Legal Practice: Partner, Connell, Foley & Geiser

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Donald H. Steckroth
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Seton Hall 1972 JD
Began Service: February 2, 2001

Legal Practice: Gibbons, Del Dio, Dolan, Griffinger & Vecchione (1973-2001)

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Morris Stern
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
Education: Lafayette 1962 BS; Rutgers (Newark) 1965 LLB; NYU 1975 LLM
Began Service: December 27, 2001
Term Expires: December 26, 2015

Academic: Adjunct and Visiting Professor, School of Law - Newark, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey (1971-2001)

Legal Practice: Partner, Stern, Dubrow & Marcus, PC

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Essex County Bar Association; New Jersey State Bar Association

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Michael B. Kaplan
Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: October 2006
Term Expires: October 2020

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